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I have the honour to refer to the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad (MINURCAT).

Following the usual consultations, I intend to appoint Major General Elhadji Mouhamedou Kandji (Senegal) as Force Commander of MINURCAT. Major General Kandji will be the first Force Commander of the Mission following the transfer of authority from the European Union forces in Chad and the Central African Republic on 15 March 2009.

I should be grateful if you would bring this matter to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) **Ban** Ki-moon

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